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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

| FEE CALCULATION   | CLAIMS REMAINING<br>AFTER AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST NUMBER<br>PREV. PAID FOR | NO. OF EXTRA<br>CLAIMS PRESENT | RATE | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
|---|-------------------------------------|-------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------|-------------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS  | 32                                  | MINUS | 30                               | 2                              | \$18 | \$ 36.00          |
| INDEP. CLAIMS   | 12                                  | MINUS | 12                               | 0                              | \$86 | \$ 0.00           |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of <u>November 21, 2003</u> to and through <u>February 23, 2004</u> , for an extension of:<br><input type="checkbox"/> One month (\$110) <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (\$420) <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (\$950) <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (\$1480) |                                     |       |                                  |                                |      | \$ 0.00           |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE:   |                                     |       |                                  |                                |      | \$ 36.00          |

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR § 1.27.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Payment of \$ \_\_\_ by Credit Card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 13-2491, including any filing fees under 37 CFR § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17

Respectfully submitted,  
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